

Quarterly Issues/Program List for KCTS 9 Public Television
For the period of January – March 2011
(The following are selected examples of representative issues and programs)

1. American History/Biography

Robert E. Lee: American Experience (Documentary, 90 minutes)

He is celebrated by handsome equestrian statues in countless cities and towns across the American South and by no less than five postage stamps issued by the government he fought against during the four bloodiest years in American history. Nearly a century and a half after his death, Robert E. Lee, the leading Confederate general of the American Civil War, remains a source of fascination and, for some, veneration. This film examines the life and reputation of the general, whose military successes made him the scourge of the Union and the hero of the Confederacy, and who was elevated to almost god-like status by his admirers after his death.

Airdate: Mon. 1/3 @ 9:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Charlie Rose (Interview/Discussion/Review, 1 hour)

Edmund Morris talked about his book, 'Colonel Roosevelt,' about the later years of Teddy Roosevelt's life.

Airdate: Fri. 1/7 @ 2:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

U.S. Grant: Warrior: American Experience (Documentary, 90 minutes)

The greatest hero of the Civil War, Ulysses S. Grant was a brilliant military strategist who rose from obscurity to a rank held previously only by George Washington. However, the strength of the Confederate resistance forced Grant into a hard war that destroyed the South and led to his being labeled "a butcher."

Airdate: Mon. 1/10 @ 9:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Charlie Rose (Interview/Discussion/Review, 1 hour)

An update on the tragedy in Tucson with David Remnick of the New Yorker, James Fallows of The Atlantic, and David Brooks of The New York Times.

Airdate: Wed. 1/12 @ 2:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

American Masters Jeff Bridges: The Dude Abides (Documentary, 90 minutes)

Called "the most natural and least self-conscious screen actor that has ever lived" by critic Pauline Kael, Jeff Bridges has been plying his craft most of his life. With a first role as an infant in his mother Dorothy's arms and a childhood television debut in his father Lloyd's television series Sea Hunt, he burst onto the silver screen in The Last Picture Show in 1971 and was immediately recognized with a Best Supporting Actor nomination. He has created original and memorable characters in notable films since that time. To name but a few -- Heaven's Gate, Starman, Jagged Edge, The Fisher King, Fearless, Wild Bill, The Fabulous Baker Boys, The Big Lebowski, and his 2010 Oscar-winning best actor in Crazy Heart. He is an exceptional musician, an artist, a photographer, an occasional vintner and a story teller extraordinaire. He helped found the End Hunger Network in 1983 and continues to work tirelessly to reach their goals. Known for taking on-set still photographs of cast and crew during all of his recent

movies, Bridges puts together a book after wrapping, presents one to everyone and sells the rest to support End Hunger. He wrote about it in his 2006 volume PICTURES. Bridges returns to the screen in 2011 with Tron Legacy and as Rooster Cogburn in the remake of True Grit.

Airdate: Wed. 1/12 @ 8:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

American Masters The Doors: When You're Strange (Documentary, 90 minutes)

The creative chemistry of four brilliant artists -- drummer John Densmore, guitarist Robby Krieger, keyboardist Ray Manzarek and singer Jim Morrison -- made The Doors one of America's most iconic and influential, theatrical and mysterious, thrilling and sometimes frightening rock bands. "When You're Strange" is the first feature documentary to tell their story and uses only original footage shot between their formation in 1965 and Morrison's death in 1971. It chronicles the creation of their six landmark studio albums and follows the band from the corridors of UCLA's film school, where Manzarek and Morrison originally met, onto the stages of their electrifying sold-out performances -- giving time and attention to every one of their groundbreaking, chart topping songs.

Airdate: Wed. 1/12 @ 9:30 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Charlie Rose (Interview/Discussion/Review, 1 hour)

Singer-songwriter and author Patti Smith discusses her memoir, Just Kids, about her life with artist Robert Mapplethorpe.

Airdate: Fri. 1/14 @ 2:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Religion & Ethics NewsWeekly (Interview, Discussion, Review 30 min.)

MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. AND REV. ROBERT GRAETZ: The civil rights movement led by Rev. Martin Luther King, Jr. grew out of black churches, but there was white participation as well. Kim Lawton profiles Rev. Robert Graetz, a white Lutheran pastor who worked closely with King during the pivotal Montgomery bus boycott, and who continues to work for civil rights and reconciliation. SUDAN REFERENDUM: The people of southern Sudan recently voted on whether to secede from Sudan, and their secession would create the world's newest nation and probably bring to an end Africa's longest civil war. Fred de Sam Lazaro reports on a mostly Christian region which has long been at odds with the predominantly Muslim north and which remains impoverished in spite of its rich oil reserves, the profits from which would be shared with the north, once statehood is achieved.

Airdate: Sun. 1/16 @ 5:00 am on KCTS 9 & KYVE

SCTV Golden Classics (Interview, Discussion, Performance one hour)

Return to Melonville with the new public television special SCTV Golden Classics featuring some of the most hilarious skits from the legendary sketch comedy television series, starring John Candy, Joe Flaherty, Eugene Levy, Andrea Martin, Rick Moranis, Catherine O'Hara, Martin Short, and Dave Thomas. Launched in 1976, the Emmy Award-winning SCTV, or Second City Television, followed the exploits of an aspiring fictional television station, led by Owner and President Guy Caballero (Flaherty), and the inimitable personalities who starred in its local programs. Spoofing TV programming

staples like game shows, talk shows and film shows, famous sketches featured in SCTV Golden Classics include "The Great White North" with Canadian brothers Bob (Moranis) and Doug (Thomas) McKenzie; "Monster Chiller Horror Theatre" Host Count Floyd (Flaherty) previewing "Dr. Tongue's 3D House of Stewardesses" starring mad scientist Dr. Tongue (Candy) and hunch-backed servant Bruno (Levy); hillbillies Big Jim McBob (Flaherty) and Billy Sol Hurok's (Candy) "Farm Film Report" blowing up Neil Sedaka (Levy); and parodies of Jeopardy! ("High Q with Alex Trebel" with Levy as host), The Merv Griffin Show and The Dick Cavett Show, both featuring Moranis as host. Laugh-out-loud celebrity impersonations and musical numbers include Candy as Pavorotti in a chewing gum ad; Levy as Perry Como singing disco hits; O'Hara as Katherine Hepburn and washed-up singer/actress Lola Heatherton; Martin as Ethel Merman and Indira Gandhi; Short as Jerry Lewis and pointy-haired nerd Ed Grimley; Leutonian polka stars The Happy Wanderers featuring the Shmenge Brothers (Candy and Levy); and barbershop-style vocal group 5 Neat Guys (Candy, Flaherty, Levy, Thomas, and Moranis) singing their neatest hits "She Does It," "Who Brought the Egg Salad Sandwiches" and more.

Airdate: Sun. 1/16 @ 4:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Charlie Rose (Interview/Discussion/Review, 1 hour)

An interview with Alex Gibney on his film, *Client 9: The Rise and Fall of Eliot Spitzer*.

Airdate: Mon. 1/17 @ 2:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Roads to Memphis: American Experience (Documentary, 90 minutes)

"We were never concerned with who killed Martin Luther King but what killed Martin Luther King," says Andrew Young, former aide to Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., in *ROADS TO MEMPHIS*. From Emmy Award-winning director Stephen Ives, this film tells the wildly disparate yet fatefully entwined stories of an assassin, James Earl Ray, and his target, Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., against the backdrop of the seething and turbulent forces in American society that led these two men to their violent and tragic collision in Memphis, Tennessee, on April 4, 1968. *ROADS TO MEMPHIS* features eyewitness testimony from King's inner circle and the officials involved in Ray's capture and prosecution, and Hampton Sides, author of the upcoming book "Hellhound on His Trail: The Stalking of Martin Luther King, Jr. and the International Hunt for His Assassin."

Airdate: Mon. 1/17 @ 10:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

REEL NW Back to the Garden (Documentary one hour)

In 1988, filmmaker Kevin Tomlinson filmed & interviewed a group of back-to-the-land "hippies" living off-grid, insulated from mainstream culture. In 2006 he tracked down his subjects again to find out what had become of their families' utopian plans and dreams. The film captures a time-lapse view of these back-to-the-landers told with moving personal stories of dedicated tribal families-lots of freedom but little cash, unflinching grass-roots activism and hippie kids who today ask whether free love was really free.

Airdate: Thurs. 1/17 @ 10:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Tavis Smiley (Interview, Discussion, Review 30 min.)

Clarence B. Jones, speechwriter for Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. and author of *Behind the Dream*, explains why Dr. King's "Dream" speech served as a beacon light that revealed who King was. Music icon Stevie Wonder talks about his passion for activism, including his advocacy of the successful campaign to make Dr. King's birthday a national holiday.
Airdate: Fri. 1/18 @ 12:00 am on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Pioneers of Television (Documentary one hour – 4 parts)

The four-part series examines the people who left their imprint on sitcoms, late-night, variety and game shows in the early days of the medium. The program features interviews with legendary stars, including Dick Van Dyke, Mary Tyler Moore, Art Linkletter, Andy Griffith, Betty White, Phyllis Diller, Jim Nabors, Marlo Thomas, Jonathan Winters, Ed McMahon and Merv Griffin. Using never-before-seen images and showcasing timeless clips, the documentary examines the entertainers that provided the classic scenes that still amuse us today.

Airdate: Tues. 1/18, 1/25, 2/1 & 2/8 @ 8:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE for a total of four hours.

Hubert H. Humphrey: The Art of the Possible (Documentary two hours)

Many Americans remember former Vice President Hubert Humphrey (1911-1978) as a cheerleader for the Vietnam War - shunned by his own party and mistrusted by a generation of young people. Others considered him a great progressive, a guiding light for the post-New Deal liberal movement that forged The New Frontier and The Great Society, and a champion of civil rights. HUBERT H. HUMPHREY: THE ART OF THE POSSIBLE takes a fresh look at the great body of work of this remarkable American. Ten years in the making, the film uses Humphrey's own words and interviews with President Jimmy Carter, Vice President Walter Mondale, Bill Moyers, Tom Hayden and others, to explore his journey through the major events of the 20th century.

Airdate: Wed. 1/19 @ 10:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Buffalo Bill: American Experience (Documentary one hour)

William "Buffalo Bill" Cody's legendary exploits helped create the myth of the American West - one that endures today. Born in an Iowa log cabin in 1846, he fought Indians, worked as a Pony Express rider and earned his nickname while hunting buffalo to feed the construction crews of the Kansas Pacific Railroad. After the Civil War, he scouted for the U.S. Army along America's vast western frontier. In 1883, just as that frontier was disappearing, he transformed himself into a master showman, creating and starring in a world-famous traveling show that brought the "real" Wild West to life. Part circus, part history, "Buffalo Bill's Wild West" toured for three decades, playing to enthusiastic crowds across the United States and Europe. Though Cody made a fortune from the show's success, he was nearly bankrupt when he died in 1917. Richard Ben Cramer narrates.

Airdate: Mon. 1/24 @ 10:30 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

The Greely Expedition: American Experience (Documentary one hour)

In 1881, 25 men led by Lieutenant Adolphus Greely sailed from the harbor of St. John's, Newfoundland. Their destination was Lady Franklin Bay in the high Arctic, where they planned to collect a wealth of scientific data from a vast area of the world's surface that had been described by a British admiral as a "sheer blank." Three years later, only six survivors returned, with a daunting story of shipwreck, starvation, mutiny and cannibalism. "The Greely Expedition," from producer Rob Rapley (Wyatt Earp), tells a harrowing tale of one of the great scientific adventures of all time. Drawing on a documentary record that includes scientific accounts, diaries, photographs and letters, the film reveals the nearly unbearable pressures experienced by the members of the expedition, and shows how poor planning, personality clashes, questionable decisions and pure bad luck conspired to turn a noble scientific mission into a human tragedy.

Airdate: Mon. 1/31 @ 9:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Donner Party: American Experience (Documentary 90 minutes)

Of all the 19th-century pioneer stories, none exerts so powerful a hold on the American imagination as the tale of the Donner Party in the high Sierra Nevadas in the winter of 1846. That June, along with thousands of others, George and Jacob Donner and James Frazier Reed led their families west out of Springfield, Illinois, and headed for the "Promised Land" in California, two thousand miles away. Theirs was a prosperous caravan that would swell to more than 87 men, women and children. They packed huge wagons (one was two stories high), took , food hired servants and even sewed money between the covers of a quilt. When family leaders made the fateful decision to take an untried short cut to beat the coming winter, only half of them would come out alive. What began as a trek to the Western paradise became a terrifying tale of misery, death, madness and cannibalism. But there was also extraordinary bravery, as survivors made their way to California, after enduring the worst winter ever recorded in the high Sierras. Through family journals, newspaper accounts and interviews with historians and descendants of the party, the film recreates the Donner Party's now legendary journey.

Airdate: Mon. 1/31 @ 10:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Nancy Reagan: The Role of a Lifetime (Documentary one hour)

From their early days in Hollywood, to the California governor's mansion, to the White House, Nancy Reagan was always by Ronald Reagan's side, advising and protecting him even during the long, lonely years when he battled and finally lost his fight with Alzheimer's disease. His agenda was her agenda. Making sure that Reagan was healthy and successful was her number one concern. She balanced his optimism with reality and made sure that his aides translated his broad ideas into policy. While the public saw a traditional First Lady, dressed in designer clothes and redecorating the White House, behind the scenes she was much more involved with personnel and policy issues than the public realized. This program takes an intimate look at this complicated First Lady. Historians, White House staffers and advisors, family and friends share their recollections of one of the most influential and controversial first ladies in American history.

Airdate: Sun. 2/6 @ 9:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Reagan: American Experience Lifeguard (Documentary two hours)

When he left the White House in 1988, Ronald Reagan was one of the most popular presidents of the century - and one of the most controversial. A failed actor, Reagan became a passionate ideologue who preached a simple gospel of lower taxes, less government and anti-communism. One by one, his opponents underestimated him; one by one, Reagan surprised them, rising to become a president who always preferred to see America as a "shining city on a hill." Part 1 of 2.

Airdate: Mon. 2/7 @ 9:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Independent Lens When I Rise (Documentary one hour)

"When I Rise" profiles Barbara Smith Conrad, a gifted University of Texas music student, who finds herself at the epicenter of racial controversy, struggling against the odds and ultimately ascending to the heights of international opera.

Airdate: Tues. 2/8 @ 10:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Reagan: American Experience An American Crusade (Documentary two & half hours)

In 1989, after two terms in office, Ronald Wilson Reagan left the White House one of the most popular presidents of the 20th century - and one of the most controversial. When his Hollywood career began to wane, Reagan turned to politics. One by one, his opponents underestimated him; one by one, Reagan surprised them, rising to become a president who always preferred to see America as a "shining city on a hill."

Airdate: Mon. 2/14 @ 9:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Reel NW Wheedle's Groove (Documentary 90 minutes)

In 1972, a thriving Seattle soul music scene was on the verge of national recognition. In 1975, almost suddenly, the scene died and was quickly forgotten by the changing city. In 2001, after the chance discovery of a 45-record, a local DJ uncovers a rich past hidden in plain view.

Airdate: Thurs. 2/17 @ 10:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Jimmy Carter: American Experience (Documentary two hours)

This film traces the ascent of an ambitious country boy from a peanut farm in Plains, Georgia, to the Oval Office; it examines the failings of Jimmy Carter's political leadership in the context of the turbulent 1970s; and explores the role religion played in his career. Carter ran for president as an outsider. He rode into power on the post-Watergate disaffection with Washington politics. But his inexperience resulted in an ineffectual and fractured administration. Inflation, recession, and a humbling hostage crisis blew his presidency dramatically off course. The crowning achievement of his one-term in office, the Camp David Accords, which established a framework for peace in the Middle East, was the inspiration for his life after the White House. In the years since, Carter has recast himself as a giant of moral leadership. He has struggled to bring peace to war-torn countries; fought for the eradication of life-threatening diseases; and dedicated himself to housing America's poorest citizens. The film features

interviews with many close to the Carter administration including his wife Rosalynn, son Chip, Press Secretary Jody Powell and Vice President Walter Mondale.

Airdate: Mon. 2/21 @ 9:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Independent Lens William S. Burroughs: A Man Within (Documentary one hour)

This program investigates the life of the legendary beat author and American icon. Born the heir of the Burroughs' adding machine estate, he struggled throughout his life with addiction, control systems and self. He was forced to deal with the tragedy of killing his wife and the repercussions of neglecting his son. His novel, *Naked Lunch*, was one of the last books to be banned by the U.S. government. Allen Ginsberg and Norman Mailer testified on behalf of the book. The courts eventually overturned the 1966 decision, ruling that the book had important social value. It remains one of the most recognized literary works of the 20th century.

Airdate: Wed. 2/22 @ 10:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Bill Cosby: The Mark Twain Prize (Documentary 90 minutes)

This year's special, taped at the Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts, honors Bill Cosby with the Mark Twain Prize for American Humor. A stellar list of entertainers honors Cosby, a man who has dominated the field of comedy for 40 years. The routines that Cosby performed on his best-selling records in the 60's are still remembered word for word today. His pioneering television programs were huge hits, season after season. His live performances sell out to this day. As a comic writer, actor, live performer and commentator, Cosby has been the gold standard for 40 years. And his special rapport with children has graced everything from PBS children's shows to Jello commercials.

Airdate: Wed. 2/23 @ 10:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

REEL NW Paddle to Seattle (Documentary 90 minutes)

Join adventurers Josh Thomas and J.J. Kelley as they masterfully navigate the 1,300-mile Inside Passage, traveling through waters that border North America's largest temperate rainforest. Brown bears guard the shores. Rain pelts them for weeks without rest. They'll even encounter deadly-not to mention dead-marine life. Enriched with interviews of colorful locals, our charming heroes' stories are threaded together by their unconventional humor and wit. Ultimately, this is a story about friendship and how it survives the...Paddle to Seattle.

Airdate: Thurs. 2/24 @ 10:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Triangle Fire: American Experience (Documentary one hour)

On March 25th, 1911, a fire broke out in the Triangle Shirtwaist Factory in New York's Greenwich Village. The blaze ripped through the congested loft; huge piles of trimmings fed the flames. Petrified workers desperately tried to make their way downstairs, but the factory owners kept the doors on the 9th floor locked and the woefully inadequate fire escape soon crumpled. Hundreds of horrified on-lookers arrived just in time to see young men and women jumping from the windows. By the time the fire had burned itself out, 146 people were dead. Less than two years earlier, the workers of the factory had been leaders in an industry-wide strike to protest dismal wages and dangerous working conditions. Despite unlikely support from some of the wealthiest women in the city,

including Anne Morgan, most of the workers returned to their shops without having their demands met. It took the tragedy of the fire and the ensuing public outrage to force government action. The landmark legislation that followed gave New Yorkers the most comprehensive workplace safety laws in the country.

Airdate: Mon. 2/28 @ 9:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

American Masters Troubadours: Carole King/James Taylor & The Rise of the Singer-Songwriter (Documentary 90 minutes)

In the wake of the turbulent 1960s, a new style of song and songwriter came to the fore -- a style marked by vulnerable introspection, raw, naked emotion and young singer/songwriters who shared their most intimate thoughts, backed by little more than a lone acoustic guitar or simple piano. Never before in music had the line between the songwriters and the songs seemed so transparent. They descended on the old club the Troubadour in Los Angeles, the emerging center of the American music scene -- and the careers of James Taylor, Carole King, Randy Newman, Jackson Browne, Joni Mitchell, Cat Stevens and so many others were launched. Carole King, one of the great songwriters of the '60s, started playing piano in James Taylor's band, creating a bond that they still share today. It is through them and their unique voices that we chronicle this group of musicians, who played before, after, and alongside them.

Airdate: Wed. 3/2 @ 9:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Seattle's Forgotten World's Fair The Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition (Documentary one hour)

Thought Seattle's 1962 World's Fair was the first? ... You're not alone.

Step back 100 years and experience a piece of Seattle's forgotten past. It's 1909.

Seattle is about to shed its rough frontier past and become a technological leader and the country's gateway to Alaska and Asia--all launched at the AYP. Held on the burgeoning University of Washington campus against the stunning backdrop of Mount Rainier, the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition (AYP) was when Seattle transformed itself into a sophisticated metropolis eager to further America's opportunities across the nation and around the world. Seattle welcomed the world--and the world responded. Told through thousands of historical images, rare archival footage and contemporary interviews, *Seattle's Forgotten World's Fair: The Alaska-Yukon Pacific Exposition* integrates past and present by exploring the fair's historical reverberations.

Airdate: Sun. 3/20 @ 5:30 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

The Weavers: Wasn't That A Time! (Interview, Discussion, Performance two hours)

Much of what became the folk-music revival of the late 1950s and early 1960s -- from which came Peter, Paul, and Mary, the Kingston Trio, and Bob Dylan, among others -- began in the late 1940s with a group called The Weavers. Made up of Lee Hays, Ronnie Gilbert, Fred Hellerman, and Pete Seeger, The Weavers were part of a movement of socially conscious singers that began with Woody Guthrie (who, with Hays and Seeger, formed the Almanac Singers in the 1940s). This 1982 documentary captures a reunion performance at Carnegie Hall in the early 1980s of the now-aged Weavers, blending contemporary footage of the concert with background about the intemperate, intolerant times in which The Weavers first emerged. The film provides

solid history of the McCarthy era, when The Weavers--riding high with a No. 1 hit in "Goodnight, Irene" -- found themselves blacklisted as suspected Communists.

Airdate: Tues. 3/22 @ 9:30 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

PBS NewsHour (Interview, Discussion, Review 4 min. segment)

Remembering Geraldine Ferraro, First Female Major Ticket VP Candidate: Geraldine Ferraro, the first woman to run as a vice-presidential nominee on a major party ticket, died Saturday at age 75 after a long struggle with multiple myeloma. Gwen Ifill has an excerpt from a 1984 vice presidential debate with then-Vice President George H.W. Bush plus a later interview with Jim Lehrer about that debate.

Airdate: Mon. 3/28 @ 6:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Dolley Madison: American Experience (Documentary 90 minutes)

Style icon, extravagant hostess, humanitarian, doting mother, trusted political advisor, and diplomat. These are the roles we now expect in a First Lady, roles created by President James Madison's wife, Dolley. Born in relative obscurity before the American Revolution, Dolley's beauty attracted attention, but it was her political acumen that set her apart in a time when women held no overt political power. As the "first First Lady," she used her unelected position to legitimize the nation's new capital, to create a political and social style for the new country and to give Americans a sense of their own national identity. As her successors have gone on to do ever since, Dolley Madison adopted social causes of her own, including advocating for children left orphaned by the War of 1812. This portrait features Tony Award-nominee Eve Best (Nurse Jackie) as Dolley Madison and Tony Award-winner Jefferson Mays as James Madison.

Airdate: Mon. 3/28 @ 9:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Courage in Corsets Winning the Vote in Washington State (Documentary one hour)

In November 1910, the voters of Washington State - all men at the time - voted overwhelmingly to give women the right to vote. The results of this election resonated across the country, rekindling the fire of earlier suffrage efforts and paving the way for other states to follow. For the next decade this awakening took hold, state by state, until the 19th amendment to the U.S. Constitution was ratified. After a 70-year struggle, American women finally had the right to vote. *Courage in Corsets* is the story of the women whose personal courage, political savvy and sheer tenacity won the right to vote for all women in Washington. This story profoundly affects every American woman today.

Airdate: Mon. 3/28 @ 10:30 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

PBS NewsHour (Interview, Discussion, Review 8 min. segment)

Revisiting the Reagan Assassination Attempt, 30 Years Later: On the 30th anniversary of the attempted assassination of President Ronald Reagan by John Hinckley, Jr., Judy Woodruff discusses that day's events with the Washington Post's Del Quentin Wilber and Dr. Joseph Giorando, who led the George Washington University Hospital trauma team that treated the president.

Airdate: Wed. 3/30 @ 6:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

2. Disabled/Handicapped

Place of Our Own Special Needs (Interview, Discussion, Review 30 min.)

PLACE OF OUR OWN is the English-language companion to the Spanish-language series LOS NINOS EN SU CASA. Both series are designed for parents and anyone else who takes care of young children: grandparents, nannies, babysitters and home daycare providers. The series covers subjects such as tantrums, literacy, preventing obesity, and speech and language delays. These Peabody Award-winning series combine an entertainment format -- the daytime talk/demonstration show -- with solid educational information on how young children learn, and what adults need to know to help them be prepared for kindergarten and beyond.

Airdate: Fri. 1/14 @ 11:30 am on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Independent Lens The Horse Boy (Documentary one hour)

Explore one family's unforgettable journey as they travel halfway across the world in search of a miracle to heal their autistic son. The film blends footage from the family's adventure through the Mongolian countryside with scenes from their life at home in Texas. Bolstered by testimony from autism experts, including Dr. Temple Grandin, this compelling film exquisitely captures an astonishing physical and spiritual journey.

Airdate: Tues. 1/25 @ 10:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Independent Lens For Once in My Life (Documentary 90 minutes)

Made up of 28 musicians and singers who all have severe mental and physical disabilities, the Spirit of Goodwill Band is a raucous home away from home where members are free to display their talent, humor, and tenacity. This film challenges preconceived notions of what it means to be disabled.

Airdate: Tues 2/1 @ 10:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

ADD and Loving It?!

Actor Patrick McKenna is after the truth. "Everything you think you know about ADD (Attention Deficit Disorder) and ADHD (Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder) is wrong." In this uplifting and entertaining documentary he talks to researchers, specialists and doctors about ADD and ADHD. He also chats with ordinary Canadians & Americans who are directly dealing with the challenges of this common problem. Interwoven with these insights, Patrick shares his own life story and his personal struggle with undiagnosed and untreated ADHD, and, now, his success in living with adult ADD. Though the suffering is real, Patrick is interested in the good news. When ADD is diagnosed and treated, life can become very sweet. A liability can become an asset. As one expert explains, "This is not a diagnosis to fear. This is a diagnosis to understand and embrace." The program amuses and amazes us by actually presenting the facts-what is known for sure. Patrick and director and co-host Rick Green lead viewers through a lively romp about the symptoms of adult ADD and the five keys to turning ADD from a hidden handicap that sabotages your life to an ally that allows you to soar. The production techniques are fantastic! Patrick laughs at the lies, busts the myths, and finally takes on the most controversial aspect of ADD - medication!

Airdate: Thurs. 2/3 @ 12:00 am on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Brain Injury Dialogues (Interview/Discussion/Review one hour)

Though he appears normal, Rick Franklin's brain injury has made his life anything but. Teaming up with veteran documentary maker and friend Lyell Davies, Rick explores the impact that brain injury has had on himself and other survivors. As they visit with brain injury survivors, invisible aspects of this disability become more clear; we see the wide range of deficits that survivors must face, both physically and mentally, and learn how no two brain injuries are alike. We also hear how survivors learn to deal with life after a brain injury by means of personal, medical, and even political strategies. Comments by a Speech Pathologist/Cognitive therapist and a Disability Studies scholar offer additional insight into this disability that affects far more people than you might suspect. Included is an interview with disability rights advocate, Zona Roberts.

Airdate: Tues. 3/15 @ 3:00 am on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Autism: Making It Work (Interview/Discussion/Review one hour)

This program will explore the growing needs of adolescents and young adults with autism. In 1991 the number of autism cases increased sharply. That population will begin exiting the school system to enter the general population. What are their needs? What can parents do to plan for their future? What's in place to ensure their success?

Airdate: Tues. 3/22 @ 3:00 am on KCTS 9 & KYVE

3. Women

Tina Fey: The Mark Twain Prize (Award Ceremony 90 minutes)

The 13th Annual Kennedy Center Mark Twain Prize for American Humor goes to . . . Tina Fey! Multiple Grammy, Golden Globe and Writers' Guild award--winner for her work as actor, writer and producer for "30 Rock," "Saturday Night Live" and more, Fey is toasted/roasted by an A-list class of comedic talent, including former Twain Prize winners Steve Martin and Lorne Michaels, along with Steve Carell, Jimmy Fallon, Jon Hamm, Jennifer Hudson, Jane Krakowski, Seth Meyers, Tracy Morgan, Fred Armisen, Amy Poehler and Betty White.

Airdate: Sat. 1/03 @ 3:00 am on KCTS 9 & KYVE

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Airdate: Sun. 2/06 @ 10:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Conversations at KCTS9: Michele Norris (Interview/Discussion/Review 30 minutes)
Millions of listeners tune in to hear Michele Norris every night on NPR's All Things Considered. Last year, she embarked on a major series for NPR about race relations in the United States. The reporting led her to write a book about America's "hidden conversation" on race. But half way through, she realized there was another hidden story - about her own life and family. In this episode of Conversations, Enrique Cerna talks with Norris about her career as a journalist, and her new memoir, *The Grace of Silence*.

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Independent Lens: Me Facing Life: Cyntoia's Story (Documentary one hour)
Cyntoia Brown was an average teenager in an American town. But a series of bad decisions led the 16-year-old into a situation that ended with her killing a man who had picked her up for sex. She was sentenced to life in a Tennessee prison, meaning in her case, she will serve a minimum of 51 years. This film challenges our assumptions about violence and explores how factors such as biology and family history can doom some young people from the start.

Airdate: Tue 3/01 @ 10:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

A Girl's Life (Documentary one hour)

Girls entering adulthood in the next decade will see more opportunities than today's women ever imagined. Will these girls stride confidently through newly opened doors or are they destined to be stunted by societal messages that tell them females should be constantly agreeable, impossibly thin and sexy above all else? Researcher and author Rachel Simmons examines the challenges facing young women as they surf the waves of 21st century adolescence. Simmons interviews parents, psychologists, teachers and social workers who are helping nurture girls into capable, resilient adults. She also talks with four very special girls who tell their own deeply personal tales of dealing with issues like cyber-bullying, body image and violence. With courage and determination, these girls reveal their hopes and dreams for their future.

Airdate: Wed. 3/02 @ 11:30 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

How Can I Keep on Singing (Documentary one hour)

Gripping tales of cooks, schoolteachers, laundresses and indigenous women evoke everyday life in the West 100 years ago. Beautiful photography of the rural landscapes of the Northwest are interwoven with historical photographs, and reenactments of the daily activities of women and girls. The off-camera readings by actors are drawn from Pulitzer-nominated Washington writer Jana Harris, acclaimed Canadian poet Jeannette Armstrong of the Penticton Indian Band, and Mourning Dove, a Colville writer. Music includes work commissioned for the film by nationally known cellist and composer, Jami Sieber.

Airdate: Thu. 3/03 @ 7:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Independent Lens: Iron Ladies of Liberia (Documentary one hour)

With unprecedented access, this intimate documentary goes behind the scenes with Africa's first freelyelected female head of state, Ellen Johnson-Sirleaf, president of

Liberia. The film explores the challenges facing the new president and the extraordinary women surrounding her as they develop and implement policy to rebuild their ravaged country and prevent a descent back into civil war.

Airdate: Fri. 3/04 @ 1:00 am on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Helen of Troy (Documentary two hours)

Bettany Hughes (THE SPARTANS) travels across the eastern Mediterranean on an epic journey to find out the truth about Helen of Troy, known as "the face that launched a thousand ships." She has been blamed for causing the Trojan War, a conflict that resulted in countless deaths. During her own voyage in Helen's wake, Bettany Hughes sorts the reality from the myths told about Helen. She travels from the city where it is said Helen was born - Sparta in the mountains of Greece - to the archaeological site in modern Turkey that will be forever linked with the war fought in Helen's name: Troy.

Airdate: Thu. 3/24 @ 3:00 am on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Who Does She Think She Is? (Documentary one hour)

From an Oscar-winning production team comes WHO DOES SHE THINK SHE IS?, an examination of some of today's most pressing issues: parenting and work, partnering and independence, and economics and art. The film follows four diverse female artists as they navigate the economic, psychological and spiritual challenges of making work outside the elite art world. From Hawaii's Big Island to the suburbs of Ohio, from New York City to the deserts of New Mexico, these women - representing a variety of ages - fight to honor both their vision and their families every day. In seeking this balance, the women find that their art often inspires their parenting and, conversely, their families often inspire their art. WHO DOES SHE THINK SHE IS? also documents the stark gender disparities that exist within the larger arts community, including women's under-representation in art galleries, as well as in the worlds of theater, fiction and feature films.

Airdate: Sun. 3/27 @ 7:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Courage in Corsets: Winning the Vote in Washington State (Documentary one hour)

In November 1910, the voters of Washington State - all men at the time - voted overwhelmingly to give women the right to vote. The results of this election resonated across the country, rekindling the fire of earlier suffrage efforts and paving the way for other states to follow. For the next decade this awakening took hold, state by state, until the 19th amendment to the U.S. Constitution was ratified. After a 70-year struggle, American women finally had the right to vote. *Courage in Corsets* is the story of the women whose personal courage, political savvy and sheer tenacity won the right to vote for all women in Washington. This story profoundly affects every American woman today.

Airdate: Mon. 3/28 @ 10:30 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Children's Programming January – March 2011

Monday – Friday

6:00 am	Between the Lions
6:30 am	Barney and Friends
7:00 am	Sesame Street
7:30 am	
8:00 am	Curious George
8:30 am	Cat in the Hat Knows A Lot About That!
9:00 am	Super Why!
9:30 am	Dinosaur Train
10:00am	Sid the Science Kid
10:30 am	Word World
11:00 am	Clifford the Big Red Dog airs M-Th Mister Rogers airs F
12:00 pm	Adult Programming/Pledge
3:00 pm	Martha Speaks
3:30 pm	Cat in the Hat Knows A Lot About That!
4:00pm	Wild Kratts
4:30 pm	Electric Company M/W/F WordGirl Tu/Th

Saturday

6:00 am	Sesame Street
6:30 am	
7:00 am	Curious George
7:30 am	Cat in the Hat Knows A Lot About That!
8:00 am	Super Why!
8:30 am	Dinosaur Train
9:00 am	Sid the Science Kid
9:30 am	Thomas & Friends
10:00 am	Bob the Builder
10:30 am	Angelina Ballerina: The Next Steps
11:00 am	Adult Programming/Pledge

Sunday

6:00 am	Sesame Street
6:30 am	
7:00 am	Curious George
7:30 am	Cat in the Hat Knows A Lot About That!
8:00 am	Super Why!
8:30 am	Dinosaur Train
9:00 am	Sid the Science Kid

9:30 am	Maya & Miguel
10:00 am	Arthur
10:30 am	Cyberchase On 1/30 Design Squad Nation begins